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In re application of : RONALD A. SCHACHAR  
Serial No. : 09/940,722  
Filed : August 27, 2001  
For : SCLERAL PROSTHESIS FOR TREATMENT OF PRESBYOPIA  
AND OTHER EYE DISORDERS  
Group No. : 3738  
Examiner : David H. Willse

**MAIL STOP FEE AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

This Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 is responsive to the Examiner's Action dated November 26, 2002, with a shortened statutory period of response set to expire February 26, 2003. A Petition for Extension of Time is being filed concurrently herewith to request a three month extension of time to extend the deadline for response to May 26, 2003. Because May 26, 2003 is a Federal holiday (Memorial Day), the time for response is extended to Tuesday, May 27, 2003.

Please amend the patent application as indicated below.